

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

1. (Currently amended) A leave-on hair conditioning composition comprising:
  - (1) an Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer;
  - (2) visible particles which can be detected as an individual ~~partiele~~ particles by the naked eye in the composition and which are stable in the composition, wherein the particles have an average diameter of about 300  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 3000  $\mu\text{m}$ ;
  - (3) an aqueous carrier selected from water and water solutions of lower alcohols;
  - (4) a humectant comprising a polyethylene glycol having a molecular weight of up to about 1000, wherein the hair conditioning composition is free of a surfactant.
2. (Original) The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 further comprising an amphoteric conditioning polymer.
3. (Cancelled)
4. (Original) The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 further comprising a silicone compound.
5. (Previously presented) The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 further comprising a viscosity modifier.
6. (Original) The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 further comprising a UV absorber.
7. (Original) The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 further comprising an optical brightener.
8. (Original) The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 further comprising a herbal extract.
9. (Previously presented) The hair conditioning composition according to any of the preceding claims further comprising a conditioning agent.

10. (Currently amended) A leave-on hair conditioning composition comprising by weight:

- (1) from about 0.01% to about 10% of an Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer;
  - (2) from about 0.01% to about 5% of visible particles which can be detected as an individual ~~particle~~ particles by the naked eye in the composition and which are stable in the composition, wherein the particles have an average diameter of about 300  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 3000  $\mu\text{m}$ ;
  - (3) from about 0.1% to about 20% of a humectant comprising a polyethylene glycol having a molecular weight of up to about 1000;
  - (4) from about 0.1% to about 60% of a silicone compound;
  - (5) from about 0.01% to about 10% of an additional a viscosity modifier;
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- (6) an aqueous carrier selected from water and water solutions of lower alcohols; and wherein the hair conditioning composition is free of a surfactant.

11. (Currently amended) The ~~method~~ composition of Claim 1 wherein the visible particles have an average diameter of about 300  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 1000  $\mu\text{m}$ .

12. (Currently amended) The ~~method~~ composition of Claim 10 wherein the visible particles have an average diameter of about 300  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 1000  $\mu\text{m}$ .